

Republican Ticket.

Congress—Hon. P. M. Spear, of Venango County. Assembly—Hon. A. R. Meehling, of Clarifying.

MANY men of national and international prominence went down with the Titanic, among them being such familiar names as Col. John Jacob Astor, Isador Straus, Benjamin Guggenheim, Edgar J. Meyer, Maj. Archibald Butt, and Editor William T. Stead.

COL. ROOSEVELT carried Nebraska by a large majority in the presidential preference primaries Friday. He also carried Oregon over all comers. If this keeps on—and it looks as though it would—the Colonel will be nominated at the Chicago convention. And, stick a pin here, he'll be elected in November.

THE intention of the average voter at the recent election was merely to express his preference between Roosevelt and Taft. He did not mean to endorse any repudiated bosses or resurrect anybody heretofore decently buried. Most of them did not realize that, instead of popular rule, it merely meant, in most instances, that other bosses would supplant the old ones, and that it would be a case of the frying pan and the fire.—Punsutawney Spirit.

ALMOST everyone who reads has wondered what the mysterious letters "C. Q. D." in wireless telegraphy meant. Marconi, the wireless inventor, while on the witness stand before the Senate committee investigating the Titanic disaster, explained the meaning as follows: "C. Q. D." means danger or distress. The international wireless conference had decided to substitute "S. O. S." for the distress call, said Marconi. That means "Save our souls." "D. E. D." represents silence, he said.

Speer's Majority in District is 405.

The official majority of Hon. Peter M. Spear, who won the Republican nomination for Congress in the 28th district over General Willis J. Hullings, is 405. All the counties have finished the tabulation of the vote cast on the 15th inst. and have certified the same to the State Department at Harrisburg. The following table shows the official pluralities in the five counties composing the district:

Table with 2 columns: County, Spear's Majority. Venango: 223, Mercer: 327, Warren: 677, Forest: 91, Elk: 1095. Totals: 1409. Spear's majority, 405.

Congressman Spear For Parcels Post.

Says Robert M. Ginter, Washington staff correspondent of the Pittsburgh Gazette Times, in a special dispatch to that paper under date of 18th inst.: Representative Peter M. Spear of Oil City, Pa., made his maiden speech in the House today during the consideration of the rule relative to making the proposed parcels post legislation a part of the postoffice appropriation bill, which is now before the House. Mr. Spear spoke in favor of the parcels post and made his position clear. He said:

"I am in favor of a general parcels post system. I would prefer to vote separately on a proposition of this kind, but should we do so there is very little prospect that it would pass the Senate. Therefore, if we are to have any such legislation during the session, we must have it by virtue of this rule.

"It does not mean that I favor the provisions in the postoffice appropriation bill. I do not think they are adequate, or sufficient, but it will give us an opportunity when the discussion of them comes up to amend them and to adopt such provisions as we may deem proper and right. I do not favor some of the wild propositions that are in this measure about paying toll for local roads, nor do I favor the condemnation of the express companies, because I believe this government has the right to institute a parcels post system of its own and run it independently, as is done in many other civilized countries, and that the competition of the express companies will be beneficial to us both.

"There are other things in this rule which I favor. This rule will permit us to enact legislation to limit the time and employment of carriers to eight hours a day. It will permit an increasing of the salaries of the carriers and clerks. Unless this rule be adopted, that can be objected out of our postoffice appropriation bill.

"Make no mistake, gentlemen. The objections to this rule upon the ground that it is bringing in matters here that ought to be voted upon separately, are being made by those who want finally to kill this legislation, and who are raising their now to prevent the House from acting upon the legislation."

A leading metropolitan paper has been kind enough to publish the following: "Our state is dotted with small villages, in each of which one or more small newspapers are published. They do not make any claim to being a review of the entire world, even though they do carry feature articles of a general nature, nor do they boast that their circulation is something prodigious. Yet the country newspapers, appearing faithfully week after week, recording the happenings of the neighborhood, lending assistance to the unfortunate, extending sympathy and consolation to the bereaved, chronicling with pardonable pride any improvements in the town and bringing to the fireside a record of those apparently trifling happenings that are really of more importance to the readers than the crowning of George the Fifth as Emperor of India, meet a demand in our rural life. The country newspaper is of inestimable value in maintaining the moral and financial standards of the community. It is something in which the entire neighborhood can feel a common interest. It is deserving of the steady support, not only of the homefolks, but also of those who look back with cherished memories to their life in the little town."

Official Primary Vote, April 13th, 1912.

The figures are given only on Republican candidates where there were contests.

Table with columns: Districts, Congress, Assembly, Nat. Delegates, St. Del. Lists candidates and their vote counts across various districts.

NOTE.—Following are the totals of the vote cast for candidates of other parties: Congress—J. P. Hines, D. 92; C. E. McConkey, P. 16; J. W. Neilly, P. 1; John R. McKenna, S. 38. Assembly—P. C. Hill, D. 70; J. L. Simmons, D. 43; F. E. Allison, P. 5; W. H. Conger, S. 11. National Delegates—T. L. Hampton, D. 130; Wm. Hanson, D. 113; J. P. Hines, D. 109. State Delegates—J. T. Carson, D. 125; J. L. Simmons, D. 96; A. W. Albaugh, S. 37. County Chairman—Leo F. Keating, D. 175; M. C. Kerr, D. 49. Alternate Delegates National Convention—T. D. Collins, R. 603; John Curry, R. 57; C. E. Bordwell, D. 93; C. A. Miller, D. 147; T. F. Ritchey, D. 135.

Chadman's Florida Letter.

The April harvest is on and I am in the thick of it. I like to see things grow, especially when they are the kind of things that grace the diningroom table and make the inner man fairly leap with joy. I picked beans and tomatoes and cukes and rolled the young watermelons out of the way. Nearly every post which incloses the farm is held down by a cheerful male Bob White, who calls and calls to his friends over on the next farm, while his mate is hidden away in the thick palmetto hatching out a nest full of eggs. It is Erasmus Wilson, the Quiet Observer of the Gazette Times, was down here this spring he could see more "Bob Whites" in an hour than he can see in Ashabula county, Ohio, in ten years. Yet, when I read law in Congressman Northway's office at Jefferson, but a few years ago, I used to see flocks of at least a hundred quail not over a mile from the Jefferson court house. I am telling the boys here what happened to our birds, and I tell them with so much earnestness and knowledge of the subject that it is having its full effect.

Down near Chokoloskee last week I went out with a fellow to kill a deer for necessary meat. It was late in the evening and I hadn't the least idea that we would start up a buck, but we did and my companion killed him with the first shot. A five weeks old fawn leaped away with the buck and struck a tree stunning it for a few seconds. That was time enough to catch it, and it is one of the chief attractions for the children now. It is not much larger than a small lamb and is fully as tame. Big wild turkeys flew up at every turn and quail whizzed away like a shower of bullets. Verily, there is one spot on the globe where game is yet plentiful. No one thinks of enforcing the game laws in the Everglade region or in the extreme southern part of the Peninsula where there are millions of acres of wild and swamp land, yet game is abundant and no doubt will be for years to come. There is a healthy boom on at Punta Gorda now and the Board of Trade men say my letters and stories in the Northern papers, and my tales and yarns in the Southern press, did more to bring about the good fortune than any one thing else. I sure did give them some startling stuff. Most of my yarns were accepted as gospel truth through Alabama and Georgia and the newspaper offices were deluged with letters of inquiry. They are translating the Model Fly Farm story into seven different languages, including "nigger dialect" and Seminole.

We have a petition in for the Biological Station here and if we get that we are sure to be remembered in the appropriation bill next Congress, because the channel will have to be dredged deeper here and Boca Grande at the entrance to our harbor. Then the big Northern corporation which purchased the 80,000 acres of scattered pine in this county are going to build their mill near here and a railroad to haul in the trees. So many things working together for the good of this town naturally attract attention and people are falling over one another in liking up real estate. I got 40 acres at \$7 an acre and was offered an advance of \$7 an acre within a week. Another lad, a man from Ohio, purchased 50 acre side of mine, and disposed of it before he got his deed at an advance of \$50 an acre, clearing \$2400 00 in less than five weeks.

In the midst of excitement like this, and learning how much easier it is to earn the lengthy verdant by dapping a little in farm lands than by dashing off a yarn with a beautiful moral, it is only natural that my spaces in the big papers should remain unfilled for some time. Yet it feels good, too, to see the little old New York Herald double leading my revelations and crying for more. And it will get them just as soon as this aizzling sun drives all ambition out of mankind to work outside and drives him into the cool of Bay park or places him in front of the single keyboard and underneath the whirling 'strictly fan.

The country throughout this county is as level and smooth as the sea. There are no hills to climb and no rocks to jolt. The roads stretch along for miles and miles either turning to the right nor the left the sun rises and sets day after day without a single cloud crossing its disk, while the balmy air from the land and the salt breeze from the sea fan the sunburnt visage and cool the blistered ear. Even the fierce whirr of the voracious mosquito strikes the auditory nerve with a softened sound, and the incessant and unstopple flies approaches you with a cunning so artful and destitute of evil intent that you cannot realize you are about to be the victim of involuntary plebiscito. And that causes me to remember that one of my slogans for Florida was rejected by the committee on slogans. It was something to the effect that every night you were subject to bite in Florida.

NEW TUBE MILLS PLANNED.

Course of Mahoning at Youngstown to Be Changed for Site. Youngstown, O.—The course of the Mahoning river will be changed for more than half a mile at East Youngstown by the Youngstown Sheet and Tube Company, southward to the Pennsylvania right of way, which will give the company a large site for new mills and furnaces, planned. The work will take six months to complete. The contract will be let within the next week or two.

Besides the large amount of land which will be made available, the Youngstown Sheet and Tube Company has acquired the old American Bridge Company site at Hazleton. This in itself is one of the best manufacturing sites in the valley and is connected with the property of the Youngstown Sheet and Tube Company, on which its Bessemer plant and tube mills are established.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh, that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & Co., Props., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm. WEST & TRUX, wholesale druggists, Toledo, O. WALKING, KIRKMAN & MARVIN, wholesale druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Cherry Grove.

S. A. Allaire was a Sheffield visitor Saturday.

Mrs. Seacop of Barnes is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Phoebe Farnsworth. Mrs. Christ Johnson spent a few days of last week in Warren. Henry Sorenson was a Sheffield visitor Saturday.

Mrs. Collins of Crawford county is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Phoebe Farnsworth. Wm. Lawson spent Sunday with his family here.

Mrs. Mae Weaver is at Lake Chautauqua where she has employment for the summer.

The long expected wedding bells have rung at last, when Hiram Tousey was married to Mrs. Luerella Phillips of Meadville. The ceremony was performed by Justice Wheeler of Warren, at the Exchange hotel, on the 18th inst. Both people are well advanced in years, each being over sixty, and we hope they may spend the remainder of their lives in peace and contentment. They are keeping house in the house occupied by Mr. Tousey previous to his marriage.

Monday of last week Raymond Christenson was taken to Buffalo for treatment at the hospital for consumption and an abscess on the ankle, both apparently being the result of the fever which he had some time ago. His mother is also suffering from consumption. Latest reports from the little fellow are that he is doing well as can be expected. On Saturday before he left all absent members of the family were home, including Andrew, of Kelleitville, Harry of Hart & Henderson's and Carl, who accompanied Raymond to the hospital.

Thursday night some dog killed six sheep belonging to E. M. Farnsworth. It is to be hoped the guilty dog will be found and kept chained, as it is too bad to lose property in such a manner.

Mr. and Mrs. Butler, who have stayed with their daughter, Mrs. Geo. Vandenberg, during the winter, have gone to spend the summer with some of their other children in Union City.

G. W. Gifford spent a few days in Kelleitville this week.

A surprise party was given in honor of Mrs. Phoebe Farnsworth, Saturday evening. About fifty guests were present and an excellent six o'clock supper was served. A fine chair was left as a reminder of the pleasant event.

Confirmation Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the following accounts have been filed in my office and will be presented at the next term of Court, beginning on the 1st Monday of May, 1912, for confirmation: First and final account of W. H. Harrison, administrator of the estate of Cassie Hartman, late of Kelleitville township, Forest county, Pennsylvania, deceased.

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First and final account of William Hood and C. A. Randall, executors of the last will and testament of David R. Walters, late of Green township, Forest county, Pennsylvania, deceased.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE of sundry writs of Fieri Facias and Vendi Ex., issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Forest County, Pennsylvania, and to me directed, there will be exposed to sale by public vendue or outcry at the Court House in the Borough of Tionesta, Pa., on SATURDAY, MAY 18, A. D. 1912, at 10 o'clock p. m., the following described real estate, to-wit:

J. M. MONTGOMERY vs. THE PITTSBURGH MANTEL MANUFACTURING COMPANY, formerly AMERICAN CASKET COMPANY, Fieri Facias, No. 11 May Term, 1912, and Vendi Ex., No. 19 May Term, 1912.—T. F. Ritchey, Attorney.

ALEXANDER C. ROBINSON vs. THE PITTSBURGH MANTEL MANUFACTURING COMPANY, formerly AMERICAN CASKET COMPANY, Fieri Facias, No. 16 May Term, 1912.—A. C. Brown, Attorney.

All the right, title, interest and claim of the defendant in and to all that certain tract or piece of land lying and situated in the Borough of Tionesta, County of Forest, and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a post, being the southwest corner of the Coleman lot on Allegheny River Street, thence easterly along Coleman line the entire length thereof, and continuing in same direction, about 480 feet to line of Slickles land, now F. R. Larson, on a proposed street to be called Williams street, thence southerly along line of said Williams street 180 feet to a post, on a direct line twenty feet south of the southern wall of the south Factory building, thence westerly on a line parallel to said Coleman line and twenty feet south of the southern wall of the south Factory building about 480 feet to a post on said Allegheny River street, and thence northerly along said Allegheny River Street about 180 feet to the place of beginning; together with the free and uninterrupted right to the use of said proposed Williams street in Bridge street in common with adjoining land owners and others. Having thereon erected two three story wooden framed factory buildings, 50x100 feet each, with all necessary conveniences, large dry kiln and brick boiler house.

Taken in execution and to be sold as the property of The Pittsburgh Mantel Manufacturing Company, formerly of American Casket Company, at the suit of J. M. Montgomery and Alexander C. Robinson.

TERMS OF SALE.—The following must be strictly complied with when the property is sold: 1. When the plaintiff or other lien creditors become the purchaser, the costs on the writs must be paid, and a list of liens including mortgage searches on the property sold, together with such other creditors' receipts for the amount of the proceeds of the sale or such portion thereof as he may claim, must be furnished the Sheriff.

2. All bids must be paid in full. 3. All sales not settled immediately will be continued until 2 o'clock p. m., of the next day, at which time all property not settled will again be put up and sold at the expense and risk of the person to whom first sold.

See Pardon's Digest, Ninth Edition, page 446 and Smith's Forms, page 384. W. H. HOOD, Sheriff. Sheriff's Office, Tionesta, Pa., April 22, 1912.

J. L. Hepler LIVERY Stable.

Fine carriages for all occasions, with first class equipment. We can fit you out at any time for either a pleasure or business trip, and always at reasonable rates. Prompt service and courteous treatment. Come and see us.

Rear of Hotel Weaver TIONESTA, PA. Telephone No. 20.

The Citizens' Life Insurance Co. of Reading has been taken into court to show cause why its charter should not be revoked. The company was chartered on August 19, 1910, but Commissioner Johnson finds that it did not do any business during its first year.



Shirt Waists.

It does not matter what particular style you may desire—you will doubtless find it here.

Waists with fancy embroidered front, with pleated front, short sleeves, long sleeves, open back or open front, low cut neck, high neck, or tailored model with separate collar.

It is surprising the style, material and workmanship shown in even our fifty cent line. Others range in price to \$1.75.

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TRIAL LIST.

List of causes set down for trial in the Court of Common Pleas of Forest County, Pennsylvania, commencing on the Third Monday of May, 1912.

1. Alex. Wilson and Margaret Wilson vs. Geo. W. Buhl and C. F. Hunt, No. 30, November term, 1910. Summons in ejectment. Attest, S. R. MAXWELL, Prothonotary. Tionesta, Pa., April 22, 1912.

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Urge Your husband to Give you a Bank account

No one was ever able to swim without going into the water. How is a woman going to know how to save money who never had any money to save? If more men intrusted their finances to their wives, there would be fewer bankrupts. If men intrusted their wives with their bank accounts, they would find at the end of the month that there was a bigger balance in the bank than ever before.

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It's a real champion in service as well as in name. It is a gas range but can be quickly converted to use wood or coal, taking only a minute to make the change. It's a fuel saver also, and the price is no higher than for the ordinary kind. We can't tell you all its good points here but want to demonstrate them to you. It will not cost you anything to investigate and whether you buy or not you will be welcome. We are confident it will interest you.

In General Hardware

We can supply your needs from a big stock.

Blankets and Harness.

We can fit you out quickly and at right prices.

J. C. SCOWDEN,

Every Kind of Hardware, TIONESTA, PA.

Notice to Contractors.

The Poor Directors of Forest County will receive up to 10 o'clock Thursday, the 25th day of April, 1912, sealed bids for the construction of a stone wall under the barn at the County Farm, in Hickory Township, said County. Wall to be constructed out of large stones and to be eighteen inches thick. Persons bidding will please submit two bids, one for single and one for double wall. Plans can be seen at the Commissioners' office, or will be furnished on application. The Poor Directors reserve the right to reject any or all bids. W. H. HARRISON, J. C. SCOWDEN, H. H. MULLERMAN, Poor Directors. Tionesta, Pa., April 10, 1912.

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